Connections CATALOG

GREAT NEW PRODUCTS!!

- *EdVantage*
  The organizer for success
- *CREECHERS*
  Transformable soft toys
- *QUALITY COMPUTER SUPPLIERS*

Dear Valued Customer:

Welcome to our third anniversary catalog. Your support and loyalty has helped us provide thousands of people around the world with some of the best and most unique computer products.

We come to you this time with a new name—CONNECTIONS—and a new look! These changes are more than cosmetic. They reflect our decision to broaden the types of products we offer and reach out to bring you items that are truly unique and different.

The BriteLine name will still apply to the computer related items.

CONNECTIONS is proud to present the brand new EdVantage™ line of organizers. There's nothing like it. A full size organizer (8½" x 11") designed for success. Take control—get the EdVantage.

And for great fun—CONNECTIONS presents the Creechers™. It's a toy, it's educational, it's a transformer, it's wonderful!

Both EdVantage and Creechers are exclusive to CONNECTIONS.

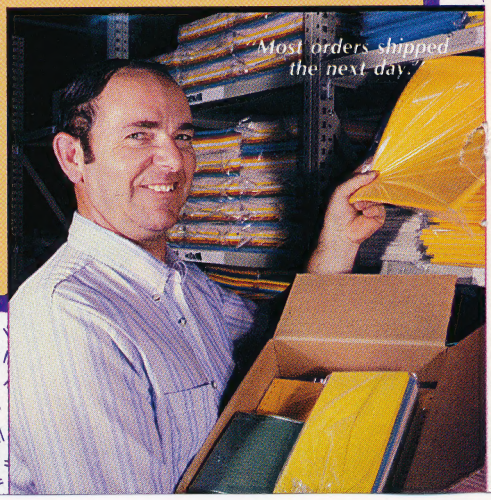
And now ordering has never been so easy. Our new catalog is designed to give you indepth feature information on all CONNECTION products which we back with our unconditional Guarantee of Complete Satisfaction. Our Customer Service staff is ready to help you.

When you buy from CONNECTIONS you can be sure to get the best AVAILABILITY, PRICE, QUALITY, SERVICE, and new exciting PRODUCTS. Call us at 1-800-643-0800, 24 hours a day.

CONNECTIONS—
something you can depend on.

Yours Truly,

Ken Grant,
President



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Print T-Shirts With Your Computer!

Now you too can design and print your own T-shirts with a special ribbon, color pens and your printer. A special heat activated ink allows you to transfer an image onto a T-shirt, penetrating the fabric for a long-lasting, washable image.

In order to print out words you must either use a software program which reverses the printout (e.g. Print Shop™ Apple II; Version 2, MacPaint™, Print Shop™ Companion or the IBM version of Print Shop™), or use a regular ribbon instead of the heat transfer and print the image on our special transfer sheets. Reversing is usually not necessary for graphics that don't have words. You should get between 25 and 90 transfers per ribbon, depending upon the density of your graphics. After printing the image, use the special coloring pens to give your transfer additional color. Then iron the transfer onto a T-shirt or other fabric. Complete, clear instructions are included with each order.

Ribbons are available for Apple, Epson/IBM, and Okidata printers in red, green, blue, yellow and black.

Coloring pens are available in red, green, blue, yellow and orange. The Jumbo Coloring Pens are ideal for filling in large areas with color.

"A great product. Easy to use and fun for everyone!"

Design custom color T-shirts. Great for teams, parties, gifts, personalized clothing and much, much more.

Available Print Accessories

Heat Transfer Ribbon and 5 Coloring Pens (one of each color)
* Transfer Set #1 $24.95 (Specify ribbon type and color)
* Transfer Set for Okidata printers #1C $19.95 (Specify color)

Heat Transfer Ribbon only
* Transfer Ribbon #R $14.95 (Specify ribbon type and color)
* Transfer Ribbon for Okidata printers #RC $9.95 (Specify color)

40 Transfer Sheets and 5 Coloring Pens
* Transfer Sheets #T2 $24.95

5 Jumbo Coloring Pens (One of each color)
* Jumbo Pens #TJ $19.95

HARNESS THE POWER

PASTELS

Say It Subtly!

Powder Blue

Pastel Yellow

Cherry Pink

Orchid

Winter Green

Comes in 5 contemporary pastel colors

Why use plain, boring white paper? Let your personality shine through with the warmth of our new pastel colors. Also great for color-identifying different types of documents in your business.

Made from medium-weight 20 lb. paper. It has a "clean-edge" perforation that tears smooth. The size is 9½" x 11" which tears down to a standard 8½" x 11".

Matching envelopes made from the same quality paper are also available.

Envelope Pak

An assortment of matching envelopes in either size (see Matching Envelopes). Contains 200 pieces of 40 envelopes per color.

*Pastel Envelope Pak #XLA $14.95

Matching Envelopes

Matching envelopes come in two sizes. GREETING CARD size fits an 8½" x 11" sheet folded in quarters. This size is perfect for invitations, announcements, greeting cards, etc. The BUSINESS size is the standard size that fits an 8½" x 11" sheet folded in thirds.

- 50 envelopes $ 5.95
- 100 envelopes $ 8.95
- 250 envelopes $19.45
- 500 envelopes $34.45
- 1,000 envelopes $60.45

*Pastel envelopes #XL
(Specify color, size and quantity.)

Jumbo Pak

This contains a large assortment of paper and envelopes. All colors and sizes are included. Package includes 800 pieces:

- 400 sheets of paper (80 of each color)
- 200 greeting card size envelopes (40 of each color)
- 200 business size envelopes (40 of each color)

*Pastel Jumbo #1LA $34.95

Sampler Pak

This smaller assortment has all of the colors and sizes. Package includes 350 pieces:

- 200 sheets of paper (40 of each color)
- 75 greeting card size envelopes (15 of each color)
- 75 business size envelopes (15 of each color)

*Pastel Sampler #2LA $14.95

Rainbow Pak

An assortment of paper only—all 5 colors. 400 sheets (80 of each color).

*Pastel Rainbow #PLA $14.95

Color Paper

Paper is also available separately so that you can mix and match according to your own tastes:

- 100 sheets of one color $ 5.95
- 250 sheets of one color $10.95
- 500 sheets of one color $19.45
- 1,000 sheets of one color $33.45

*Pastel Paper #PL
(Specify color and quantity.)

"You never get a second chance to make a first impression."
—The Color Workshop, Walnut Creek, California

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OF COLOR PAPER

PREMIUM

Create With Color!

Our top of the line finest quality paper. What makes this different from all the rest is the heavy-weight (60 lb.) stock and the brilliant colors. This makes it perfect for greeting cards, durable signs and banners. It gives added attention to reports and other written documents and makes them stand out from the crowd. The Parchment paper is especially good for certificates and for letters that make an impression.

This unique BriteLine™ product is made from heavy-weight 60 lb. paper (ordinary paper is 15 lb. or 18 lb.). It has a "clean-edge" perforation that tears smooth. The size is 9½" x 11" which tears down to a standard 8½" x 11". Matching envelopes made from the same quality paper are also available.

Jumbo Pak

This is our best value and contains a large assortment of paper and envelopes. All colors and sizes are included. Package includes 800 pieces:

- 400 sheets of paper (50 of each color)
- 200 greeting card size envelopes (25 of each color)
- 200 business size envelopes (25 of each color)

*Premium Jumbo #1PA $54.95

Sampler Pak

This is a smaller assortment than the Jumbo, but still includes all of the colors and sizes. Package includes 320 pieces:

- 160 sheets of paper (20 of each color)
- 80 greeting card size envelopes (10 of each color)
- 80 business size envelopes (10 of each color)

*Premium Sampler #2PA $22.45

Rainbow Pak

An assortment of paper only—all 8 colors. 400 sheets (50 of each color).

*Premium Rainbow #PPA $24.95

Envelope Pak

An assortment of matching envelopes in either size (see Matching Envelopes). Contains 200 pieces of 25 envelopes per color.

*Premium Envelope Pak #XPA $16.45

Color Paper

Paper is available separately so that you can mix and match according to your own tastes:

- 100 sheets of one color $ 9.95
- 250 sheets of one color $17.95
- 500 sheets of one color $29.95
- 1,000 sheets of one color $55.95

*Premium Paper #PP (Specify color and quantity.)

Matching Envelopes

Matching envelopes come in two sizes. GREETING CARD size fits an 8½" x 11" sheet folded in quarters. This size is perfect for invitations, announcements, greeting cards, etc. The BUSINESS size is the standard size that fits an 8½" x 11" sheet folded in thirds.

- 50 envelopes $ 5.95
- 100 envelopes $10.45
- 250 envelopes $23.45
- 500 envelopes $41.45
- 1,000 envelopes $72.45

*Premium envelopes #XP (Specify color, size and quality.)

See Professional Textured Stationery Page 11

STATIONERY

INDEX CARDS

Color Code Your Index Files

Indexing information is a simple task with BriteLine™ pastel index cards. These perforated cards come in fabulous colors in two sizes making the job of getting organized easy. Think of the endless possibilities: recipe cards, projects, separating business and personal addresses, inventory color coding, client cards, and the list continues. The jumbo size is perfect for postcards, too!

Card Pak

This is an assortment of 500 cards, 100 of each color. (White not included.)

*Card Pak #CLA $$11.95 (3 x 5 size)
*Jumbo Card Pak #ILA $12.95 (4 x 6 size)

Single Color

Also available by the color: 100 cards of a single color (specify color)

*Cards #CL $2.45 (3 x 5 size)
*Jumbo Cards #IL $2.95 (4 x 6 size)

ADHESIVE LABELS

The Finishing Touch For Envelopes

Add flair and call attention to your envelopes! Whereas a conventional white label is often perceived as impersonal, a color label adds warmth and personality. Now a boring white envelope can have pizazz!! Also, the special "clear" labels can be used to create interesting effects.

Available in four colors plus white and clear.

Label Pak

This is an assortment of 1,440 labels, 240 of each color plus white and clear.

*Label Pak #LLA $14.95

Single Color

Also available by the color. 1,000 labels of single color: Color $7.95, Clear $26.95, White $6.95

*Labels #LL (Specify color)

Now available in new clear labels!

•Pastel Rose
•Mint Green
•Canary Yellow
•Pure White
•Robin's Egg Blue

ACCESSORIES

ENVELOPES

Send your message in a BIG Way!

These large and brilliantly colored envelopes are perfect for sending banners or signs without having to fold them up. Great for jumbo birthday cards, get well cards and special occasions. For the card that will be remembered.

The envelopes are made from the same high quality heavy weight stock (60 lb.) as the premium paper and come in 5 vibrant colors. Choose the same color as your banner/sign or select a complementary color. Either way, your message will be special. The envelopes are slightly oversized (10" x 12") so that you can send banners or signs with or without the margins.

FOR BIG BOLD MESSAGES

Banner Assortment Pak

This is an assortment of 50 envelopes, 10 of each color.

*Banner Assortment Pak #NPA $15.45

Banner Pak

10 envelopes and 100 sheets of premium banner paper.

*Banner Pak #BP $10.95 (Specify color)

Single Color

Also available by the color:
50 envelopes of single color $13.95
100 envelopes of single color $27.95

*Banner Envelopes # (Specify color and quantity)

Mixed Banner Pak

10 envelopes, 2 of each color. 100 sheets of premium banner paper, 20 of each color.

*Mixed Banner Pak #ENP $13.95

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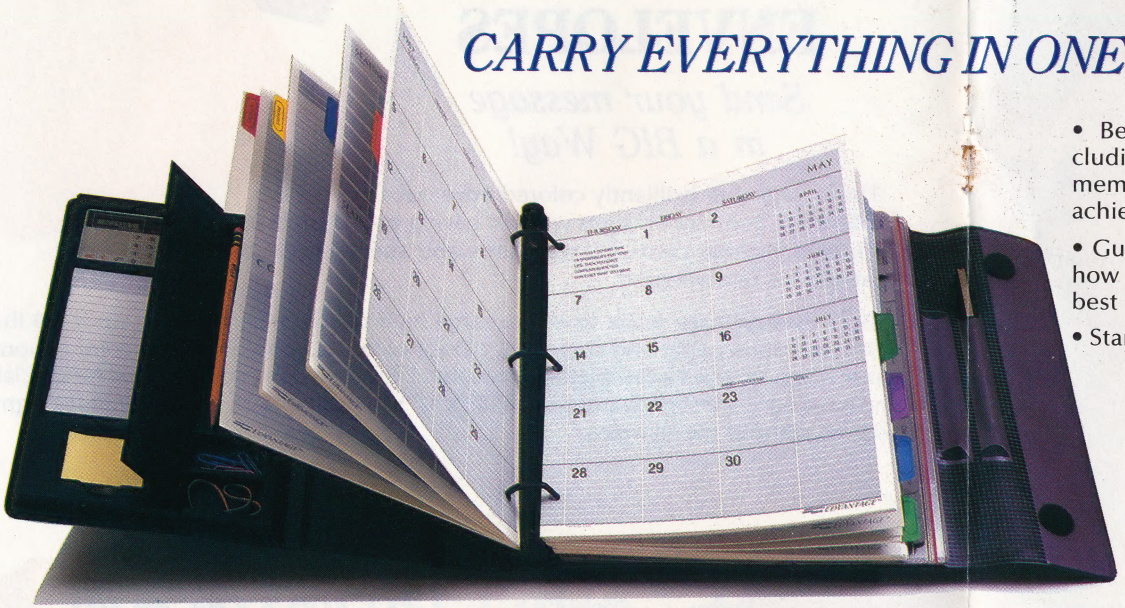
EDVANTAGE™

THE ORGANIZER FOR SUCCESS

CARRY EVERYTHING IN ONE ORGANIZED ATTRACTIVE BINDER



- Beautifully designed forms including calendar, check lists, notes, memos, names & addresses, goal achievement, and much more.
- Guide on time management and how to use your organizer to the best EdVantage.
- Standard 8½" x 11" 3-ring format.
- Padded custom binder with velcro closure flap.
- Includes multi-function calculator, pen and paper clips.
- Custom tray to hold note pad, post its, pens, etc.
- Vinyl pouches for photos, business cards, and odds & ends.

***EdVantage* helps you:**

- **Get on top and stay on top of your work and life.**
- **Achieve your personal and professional goals.**
- **Feel good about what you can and have achieved.**
- **Present a professional image.**

YOU'LL WONDER HOW YOU EVER GOT ALONG WITHOUT IT

EdVantage was carefully designed and tested. Most of the components cannot be obtained elsewhere. The binder, with its unique "ProDesk" wrap-around flap closure, and 8½" x 11" format, is custom made only by ***EdVantage***. Great care has been taken developing the forms to be both functional and flexible. In addition, the forms, with their subtle tonal gradations, have a designer flair.

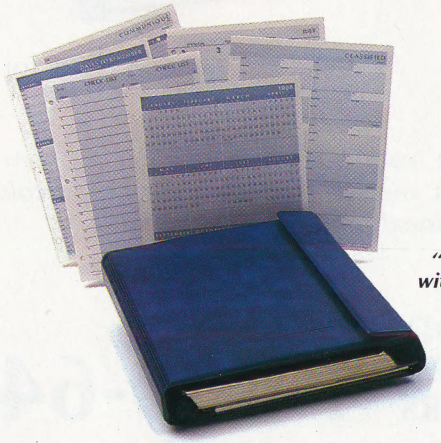
When you carry your ***EdVantage***, people will know that you're a professional who has a goal and plans to get there. ***EdVantage*** is truly a unique item. It's beautiful, it feels good, and it works!!

Available in four versions. Each version includes:

- ***Executive:*** Weekly Calendar, Project Plans, Expense Reports, Meeting Agenda/Minutes, Vinyl Business Card Holder plus standard forms and inserts. #EDE $69.95
- ***Teacher:*** Monthly Calendar, Lesson Plans, Grade Sheets, Attendance Records, Seating Chart and Student Information plus standard forms and inserts. #EDV $69.95
- ***Education Administrator:*** Project Plans, Weekly Calendar, Meeting Agenda/Minutes, Classroom Observations, Vinyl Business Card Holder plus standard forms and inserts. #EDA $69.95
- ***Student Version:*** Monthly Calendar, Class Schedule plus standard forms and inserts. #EDS $69.95

Standard Forms and Inserts: Checklist, Communique, Dates to Remember, Large Envelope, Name and Address, Goal Achievement, Classified, Tab Stickers, Ruled Paper, Large Note Pad, Small Note Pad, Pen, Calculator, Ruler, Dividers, Paper Clips, Vinyl Zip Lock Pouch, Vinyl Sheet Holder, Vinyl Photo Holder, Post Its, and Guide on Time Management and How to Use ***EdVantage.***

***EdVantage**
Please indicate preferred version: Executive, Teacher, Adminstrator, or Student on order form, as indicated above. Only $69.95.



"Get the edge with EdVantage."

PRINTER RIBBONS

BriteLine™ printer ribbons are available in six rich dramatic colors that bring your creations to life! It's amazing how much difference a color ribbon can make in getting your message across.

These high quality nylon fabric ribbons meet or exceed printer manufacturer's specifications, and are 100% compatible with your original ribbons. These ribbons are precisely inked to provide clear, crisp printing and trouble-free operation for every impression.

• Also Gold and Silver (call for prices).

Coordinate your stationery and ink ribbons. Now you can print documents, reports, letters and memos in colors most often selected by professional printing services.

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SELECT FROM A VARIETY OF COLOR RIBBONS

Ribbons can be purchased individually, in single color 6-Paks, or in Rainbow 6-Paks. 6-Paks contain 6 ribbons of a single color. Rainbow Paks contain 6 ribbons, one of each color. When ordering ribbons be sure to specify item number, color and whether 6-Pak is single color or Rainbow.

		Black		Color	
Printer	**Item No.**	**Single**	**6-Pak**	**Singles**	**6 of 1 or 1 of each**
Apple Imagewriter/DMP C. Itoh 8510/1550 NEC 8023-8027	A	7.45	42.95	8.95	45.95
Epson MX80, RX80, FX80 IBM Graphics 5152/5153 Commodore 8022/2022	B	7.45	42.95	8.95	45.95
Epson MX100/RX100/FX100	1	9.95	52.95	10.95	59.95
Okidata ML80/82/83/92/93 Star Gemini 10X/15X Canon	C	4.45	22.95	4.95	26.95
Commodore Vic 1525	D	10.45	57.95	12.95	69.95
Commodore MPS801	E	10.45	57.95	12.95	69.95
Panasonic 1090/1091/1092	F	9.95	48.95	10.95	59.95
Epson LX80/LX90 Commodore MPS1000	G	8.95	45.95	9.95	54.95
IBM Proprinter	H	9.95	48.95	10.95	59.95
Apple Imagewriter II (multi-color)	J			14.95	84.95
Okidata ML 182/192/193 Okidata Okimate 120	K	10.95	59.95	12.95	69.95
Seikosha SP800/1000 Radio Shack DMP130 Com-Star 1000 Epson AP-80	L	10.45	57.95	12.95	69.95
Star Micronics NX10	N	10.45	57.95	12.95	69.95

FOR THE PROFESSIONAL

TEXTURED STATIONERY

For a Personal and Professional Touch!

This paper is textured with a laid finish. It has the look and feel of fine quality stationery. No one will believe that this is pin-feed computer paper! Available in 5 professional understated hues.

Perfect for personalized notes and letters. Also excellent for resumes, cover letters, and those special reports.

Made from textured 20 lb. paper. It has a "clean-edge" perforation that tears smooth. The size is 9½" x 11" which tears down to a standard 8½" x 11".

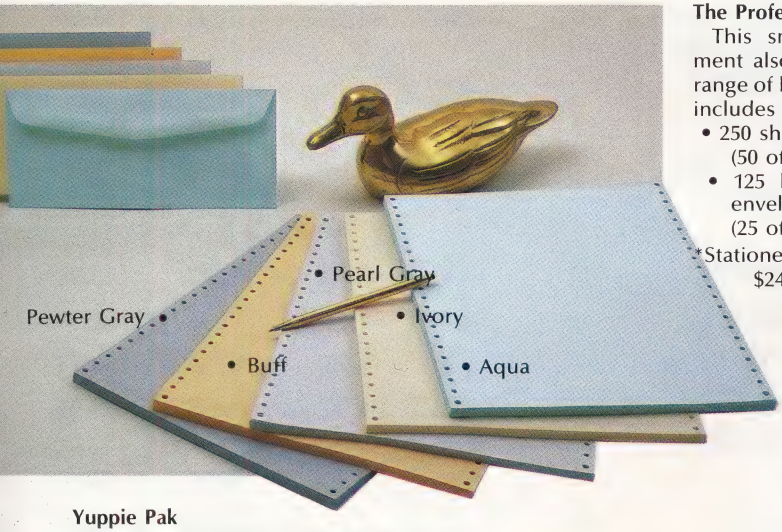
Matching envelopes made from the same quality paper are also available.

The Executive

This contains a large assortment of paper and envelopes. All hues are included. Package includes 750 pieces:

- 500 sheets of paper (100 of each color)
- 250 business size envelopes (50 of each color)

*Stationery Exec #1SA $49.95



The Professional

This smaller assortment also has the full range of hues. Package includes 375 pieces:

- 250 sheets of paper (50 of each color)
- 125 business size envelopes (25 of each color)

*Stationery Prof #2SA $24.95

Yuppie Pak

Paper and matching envelopes of your favorite color. Package includes 375 pieces:

- 250 sheets of paper
- 125 matching business envelopes

*Yuppie Pak #3S $24.95

Color Paper

Paper is also available separately so that you can mix and match according to your own tastes:

- 100 sheets of one color $ 9.95
- 250 sheets of one color $17.95
- 500 sheets of one color $29.95
- 1,000 sheets of one color $55.95

*Stationery Paper #PS
(Specify color and quantity.)

Matching Envelopes

Matching envelopes are available in standard BUSINESS size that fits an 8½" x 11" sheet folded in thirds.

- 50 envelopes $ 7.45
- 100 envelopes $11.45
- 250 envelopes $27.45
- 500 envelopes $48.45
- 1,000 envelopes $83.95

*Stationery Envelopes #BS
(Specify color, size and quantity.)

USING A PRINTER

PRINTER STAND

Not Just Another Printer Stand!

If you're like us, your computer paper often gets jammed trying to feed into your printer from under the table or desk. Worse yet, since we handle dozens of different kinds of paper, we're constantly changing the type of paper in the printers—crawling back under the desk to thread the paper up for someone to grab. THERE MUST BE A BETTER WAY!

Well, there finally is! We bring you a simple, elegant and inexpensive solution. This printer stand comes in two versions. The basic version sits under your printer and gives you a place to put your paper supply. This keeps your output from piling up on your supply stack and jamming things up.

But the greatest advantage comes with the deluxe version which has a special feeder that permits you to keep several different types of paper at ready (no more crawling under the table, except when you change boxes)! It's designed to handle up to five different papers at once, but we've tried it and found that it works best when you limit the number to three (one under the stand, and two on the floor). Even so, this is a lot better than before, and saves the ol' back. The special take-up tray keeps the output from piling up on the supply stacks. (Assembly required.)

Basic stand
*Printer Stand #SB $24.95

Deluxe model with take-up tray and feeder holder
*Deluxe Printer Stand #SD $34.95

Deluxe model with extra wide take-up tray and feeder holder
*Deluxe Wide Printer Stand #SD2 $39.95

Now there's an easy way to use a variety of color pinfeed paper.

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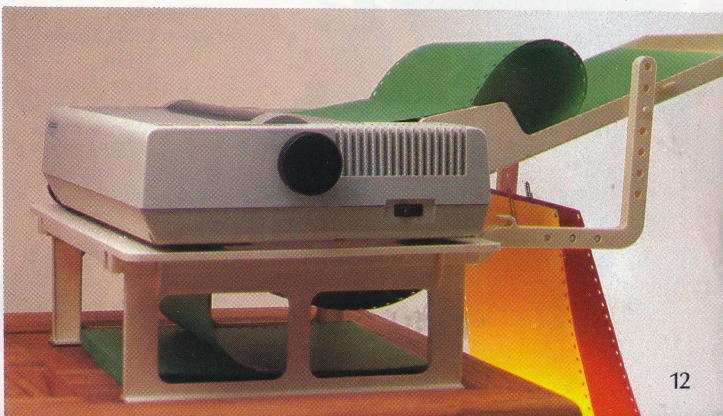
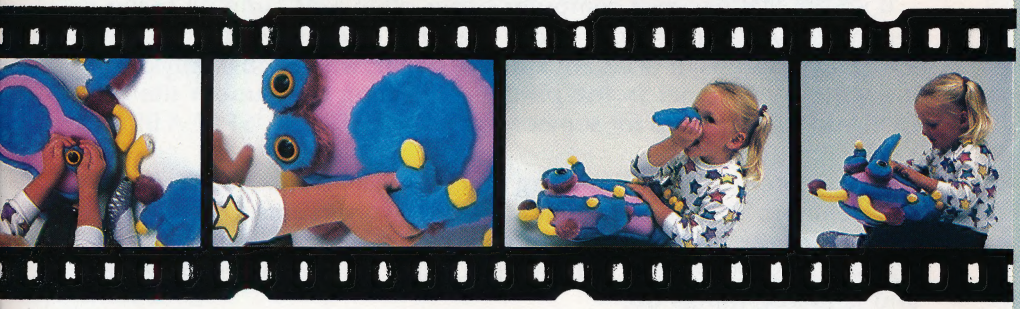
"You can change paper in seconds."



Creechers are going fast! Order today!



THE ORIGINAL creechers™

100 toys in 1

Feel the excitement of creating your own cuddly pals with these soft transformable Creechers™. Adults and kids all share the fun.

Let your imagination go wild. Stick the arms, legs, eyes and other parts anywhere on the body and design your own Creecher.

Made of highest quality materials for long-lasting durability. Each part has a Velcro® patch that easily attaches to the soft body.

- **Transformable**—unlimited variations with one Creecher
- **Educational**—Develops your child's creativity
- **Durable**—Long-lasting play value
- **Soft, Colorful and Cuddly!!!**

***Creechers**
Alien CR01 $29.95 Monster CR02 $29.95

***Hats**
Alien Hat CR03 $16.95
Monster Hat CR04 $16.95

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HOW TO ORDER

1-800-643-0800 24 HOURS A DAY

Our friendly Customer Service representatives will gladly assist you with your questions and rush your order to you.

MAIL If you don't have a charge card or wish to pay by check, then just fill out the order form below and send it to us.

PAYMENT We accept VISA, MasterCard, American Express, Diner's Club, money orders, and pre-approved purchase orders from public institutions. Minimum credit card order is $15. Make checks payable to **Connections.**

SHIPPING AND HANDLING For orders up to $80 within the continental US, add $2.00 plus 10% for shipping charges. If the order is greater than $80 or the merchandise is to be shipped to Hawaii, Alaska or a foreign country, exact shipping charges are required—please call for charges.

All merchandise will normally be shipped regular UPS. Special next day delivery available upon request—call for charges.

Most orders will be shipped the next day. If we are temporarily out of stock in high demand items and anticipate a delay of more than 20 days, we will advise you by mail.

PRICES Prices are subject to change.

ORDER FORM

Send orders to: Connections, 5221 Central Avenue, Suite 205, Richmond, CA 94804, (415) 527-6400

Name _____

Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Day Phone (_____) _____

Payment Method:

☐ VISA ☐ MasterCard ☐ Diner's Club ☐ American Express ☐ Check

If payment by credit card, please enter:

Card # _____ Expiration Date _____

Signature _____

Shipping Method: ☐ UPS Regular Continental US ☐ Special (Call for costs)

If you've ordered ribbons: Printer Make _____ Model _____

Quantity	Item No.	Description	Size	Color	Unit Price	Total Price

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TOTAL	

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PRINT SHOP ORGANIZER

Get Organized!

Keep all of your Print Shop™ valuables in one easy-to-carry system! This custom binder has a place for all your Print Shop™ materials. It holds your program disks, data disks, documentation, and reference cards.

In addition, The Print Shop Organizer has a special Graphics Index. Just go to the Index and it will quickly tell you exactly where to find (which disk and side) the graphics you need.

This is a Connections exclusive.
Only $16.95
* Apple/Comm #OPA
* IBM #OPI
(Disks and documentation not included.)

Features:

- Distinctive yellow three-ring binder
- 4 anti-static vinyl pocket pages. Each page holds two diskettes.
- Graphics Index—An exclusive Graphics Index for speedy retrieval of the exact graphic you need.
  - —Indexed alphabetically by Graphic title.
  - —Cross-referenced by subject.
  - —Master listing.
- Vinyl pouch to hold Print Shop™ reference cards.

5 Tab Sections:

"Print Shop™"—for your Print Shop™ documentation.

"Companion"—for your Companion documentation.

"Graphics"—Graphic Index and Graphic Cross-Reference Guide.

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"Disks"—Vinyl diskette holders for easy access and a sturdy pouch to hold your original graphic reference cards.

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